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Applicant: Ole THASTRUP et al. Conf.: 3969
Appl. No.: 09/872,364 Group: 1642
Filed: June 1, 2001 Examiner: Canella, K.
For: NOVEL FLUORESCENT PROTEINS

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Washington, DC 20231

April 10, 2003

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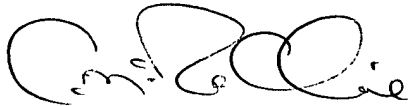
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Sir:

In reply to the outstanding office action dated January 15, 2003, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the specification as follows:

Please replace the paragraph starting at page 2, line 31 and ending at page 3, line 4 with the following replacement paragraph:

--The purpose of the present invention is to provide novel

fluorescent proteins, such as F64L-GFP (SEQ ID NO: 18, hereinafter

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